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CAS ON VOLUNTARY BASIS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the TRAI has proposed to allow Conditional Access System (CAS) on voluntary basis;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the final decision taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. R. DASMUNSI)

(a) & (b): Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) has not made any proposal for CAS on voluntary basis. However, it has constituted a committee to look into the option of voluntary CAS.

(c): Does not arise.